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SUBJ: PROPOSED GIFT OF CHERRY AND CAMPHOR TREES TO WASHINGTON
STATE

1. HYOGO PREFECTURAL GOVERNMENT HAS REQUESTED INFORMATION ON
FEASIBILITY AND PROCEDURES FOR BICENTENNIAL DONATION OF 100
YOUNG JAPANESE CHERRY TREES AND 100 YOUNG CAMPHOR (CINNAMOMUM
CAMPHORA) TREES TO WASHINGTON STATE AS GIFT FROM TORAI CHI
NAKABAYASHI, WHO WAS SPEAKER OF PREFECTURAL AMMEMBLY WHEN
SISTER STATE RELATIONSHIP ESTABLISHED. PREFECTURE REPORTEDLY
DONATED YOUNG CHERRY TREES TO WASHINGTON STATE LAST YEAR FOR
BICENTENNIAL BUT ONLY AVAILABLE INFORMATION IS THAT IMPORTATION
OF CHERRY TREES FROM JAPAN TO US IS PROHIBITED. CAMPHOR TREES
DO NOT APPEAR ON EITHER PROHIBITED OR PERMITTED LIST AS
AVAILABLE HERE.

2. GOVERNOR OF HYOGO PREFECTURE HAS ALSO SENT TELEGRAM TO
GOVERNOR OF WASHINGTON CONCERNING DONATION.
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